STATE of WISCONSIN



WHEREAS; the entire community can inspire, equip, and mobilize people to take action that changes our state and the world; and

WHEREAS; volunteers can connect with local community service opportunities through hundreds of community service organizations such as volunteer centers, Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and Volunteer Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; during this week all over the State of Wisconsin, service projects will be performed and volunteers recognized for their commitment to service; and

WHEREAS; the giving of oneself in service empowers the giver and the recipient; and

WHEREAS; our country's volunteer force of more than 63 million, and the State of Wisconsin's volunteer force of more than 1.51 million are great treasures; and

WHEREAS; volunteers are vital to our future as a caring and productive state and nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim April 6 – 12, 2014, as

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throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 2014.

SCOTT WALKER GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE

Secretary of State